



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of: **EGAWA, Yosuke**

Group Art Unit: **1712**

Serial No.: **10/519,410**

Examiner: **Alicia M. Toscano**

Filed: **January 5, 2005**

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**FOR: BIODEGRADABLE SHEET, MOLDED ARTICLE FROM THE SAME AND  
METHOD OF PRODUCING THE MOLDED ARTICLE**

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116**  
**- EXPEDITED RESPONSE -**  
**GROUP ART UNIT 1712**

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

August 30, 2007

Sir:

In response to the final Office Action dated **May 2, 2007**, the period for response extended to **September 2, 2007**, by a Petition for a one-month Extension of Time, reconsideration of the rejections is respectfully requested in view of the following remarks:

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 2 of this paper.